IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA EASTERN DIVISION No. 4:21-CV-168-D

CYNTHIA GORALSKI,)	,	
	Plaintiff,)	• .	
v.	•	{		ORDER
GRAHAM BRINSON, BETTY BRINSON,	and)		
, ,	Defendants.)	1	

All parties are citizens of North Carolina, and the amount in controversy does not exceed \$75,000 exclusive of interest and costs. See Compl. [D.E. 1]. Thus, this court lacks subject-matter jurisdiction based on diversity. See 28 U.S.C. § 1332(a). And federal question jurisdiction does not exist under 28 U.S.C. § 1331. Accordingly, the court GRANTS defendants' motion to dismiss [D.E. 5] and DISMISSES WITHOUT PREJUDICE plaintiff's complaint. Plaintiff may seek to pursue relief in Craven County District Court.

SO ORDERED. This <u>3</u> day of January, 2022.

JAMES C. DEVER III
United States District Judge